

Department of **Procurement Services**

Barbara A. Lumpkin Chief Procurement Officer

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September 26, 2007

To:

R.L. Rodriguez, Commissioner

Department: Buildings

Attn:

Eileen Kramer

Email:

ekramer@sityofchicago.org

From:

Chief Procurement Officer

Re:

Emergency Demolition

'One Story Frame Residential Building

11540 Stewart Avenue'.

Vendor Number:

50094122

Amount:

\$3,950.00

PO Number:

15572

RX Number: 34942

Pursuant to Section 2-92-644 of the Municipal Purchasing Act, I am authorizing you to make an Emergency Demolition at 11540 Stewart Avenue by Bechstein Constuction, Inc. Based upon information received from members of your staff; I have determined that this procurement is necessary to meet bona fide operating emergencies.

You are hereby authorized to perform demolition services at 11540 Stewart Avenue' in the amount of \$3,950.00 as requested in your letter dated August 20, 2007. Any amount in excess of the \$3,950.00 approved here will be subject to additional authorization and will be limited so as not to exceed the \$100,000.00 limit established by statute.

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cc:

Barbara A. Lumpkin

Douglas Yerkes

Mark Hands

Claude Humphrey

James Bracewell

Eileen Kramer-Building Dept.

Patricia Farina

File: (Specification Number: 34942)

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MEMORANDUM

Date: August 20, 2007

To: Barbara A. Lumpkin

Chief Procurement Officer, Department of Procurement Services

From: R.L. Rodriguez

Acting Commissioner, Department of Buildings

Re: Request for Emergency Authorization

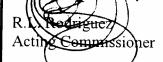
The Department of Buildings requires the services of a wrecking contractor to to demolish a building at 11540 S. Stewart Ave. The demolition is necessary as the foundation supporting the building has been compromised and the building is in danger of collapse. Accordingly, the Department of Buildings is requesting authorization for this purchase in the amount of \$3,950.00

Attached please find the price quotations that we obtained. We are recommending Bechstein Construction Corp. as they are the lowest responsible bidder.

Please contact Donald Mitchell at (312) 743-3556 if you have any questions.

I certify that this emergency poses a clear and imminent danger, requiring immediate procurement of services, supplies or equipment to prevent or mitigate the loss or impairment of life, health, property, or essential public services and would not have been avoided by due care and diligence.

Thank you for your assistance.









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Bechstein Construction Corp. 17368 S. 68th Ct. Tinley Park, IL. 60477

DEMOLITION AUTHORIZATION NOTICE

Specification #: Emergency Date Bids Opened: August 20, 2007

Contract Cost: \$3,950.00

Commencement Date: August 20, 2007

Rear Coach House, Only

This is your authorization notice to begin the demolition at 11540 S. Stewart Ave. in accordance with your contract with the City of Chicago.

This demolition is authorized pursuant to the Commissioner's authority under section 13-8-100 of the City of Chicago Municipal Code.

This authorization is conditioned on your ability to provide the required documents to the Department of Procurement such that a Notice of Award has been issued.

You are to start demolition no later than the commencement date indicated above. Demolition shall be completed and site properly graded, leveled and topped, and all necessary party wall repairs (if any) completed within 10 days of the commencement date.

Upon completion of the demolition, notification must be made for the final inspection by calling (312) 743-7056. Any exception to the preceding time frame must be approved in writing by our Department.

You are required to comply with the minimum safety requirements of the Municipal Code of Chicago (Chapter 13-124, Sections 13-32-085, 13-124-010 to Sections 13-124-170) and all State of Illinois Statutes pertaining to the demolition of structures and buildings. All necessary permits must be obtained within 72 hours of this authorization. Further, all required pedestrian and property protection must be in place prior to commencing the demolition work.

Failure to complete your contract within the time limits indicated, or violation of the Building Code or demolition contract specifications, may result in disqualification from bidding on all future demolition work contracted by all city agencies and departments.









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BEFORE THE COMMISSIONER OF THE DEPARTMENT OF BUILDINGS CITY OF CHICAGO

ADMINISTRATIVE ORDER

Date: August 20, 2007

RE: Dangerous Building/Structure at 11540 S. Stewart Ave.

WHEREAS, on or about August 17, 2007, the Department of Buildings performed an inspection to determine whether the building/structure at the above-referenced location(s) has been so damaged by fire, deterioration, or other cause as to constitute an actual and imminent danger to the public; and

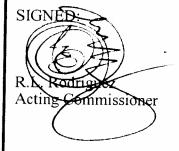
WHEREAS, the Department's inspection report is attached hereto as Exhibit "A"; and

WHEREAS, the Commissioner, through his duly designated representative, has reviewed the inspection report.

NOW, THEREFORE, based upon a review of the inspection report and other information, the Commissioner finds that the building/structure at the location above referenced:

- 1. Has been damaged by fire, deterioration, or other cause and shows clear evidence of structural failures;
- 2. Is structurally unsound and in danger of imminent collapse; and
- 3. Constitutes an actual and imminent danger to the public.

FURTHER, IT IS HEREBY ORDERED pursuant to the Commissioner's authority under section 13-8-100 of the City of Chicago Municipal Code, that the building/structure at the location referenced above be removed forthwith by a licensed and bonded wrecking contractor.







DEPARTMENT OF BUILDINGS EMERGENCY DEMOLITION FORM

Date: 8/20/07 Time of Request: 10:30 a.m.

Time Bids Due: 1:30 p.m.

Demolition Site Address:

11540 S. Stewart Ave.

1-Story, Frame Residential Building **Rear Building, only**

Fire-Damaged Coach House

Demolition Contractors Called:

Time: 12:56 p.m.	Bid: \$18,000.00
Time: 1:30 p.m.	Bid: \$3,950.00
Time: n/a	Bid: No Response
Time: 12:58 p.m	Bid: \$5,700.00
Time: 3:09 p.m.	Bid: No Thank You!
Time: 10:50 p.m. (on fax)	Bid: No Thank You!
Time: 1:30 p.m.	Bid: \$8,500.00
Time: 12:30 p.m.	Bid: \$10,200.00
Time: 12:41 p.m.	Bid: \$9,000.00
Time: 1:01 p.m.	Bid: \$11,100.00
Time: n/a	Bid: No Response
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Awarded To: Bechstein Construction Corp.

SPECIAL CONDITIONS. The building is to be hit after 4:30 p.m. today!

Department of Buildings, attest that I have contacted the forementioned qualified demolition contractors to partake in the emergency bidding process.